

REMARKS

By this Amendment, claims 22 and 31 are amended to incorporate the limitations of claim 26, which is hereby cancelled. The dependencies of claims 27 and 30 have been changed to maintain consistency. All of these changes are believed to place the application into condition for allowance since claims 26-30 are indicated in the Office Action as containing allowable subject matter.

On the first page of the Office Action, there is also an indication that claims 22-32 are subject to a restriction requirement, but Applicant assumes that this is in error since each of the pending claims has been examined.

In view of the foregoing, Applicant respectfully submits that the claims as amended are patentable and allowable over the references of record and that the application is now in condition for allowance. Accordingly, favorable reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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